The Daily Courant.

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From the Leiden Gazette, dated Feb. 28.

Dantzick, February 16.

THE King of Sweden continues at Heilsberg. The Levies that are making here for his Swediſh Majeſty, go on very ſucceſsfully, tho' they Liſt no Men but ſuch as are between 20 and 24 Years of Age. The Letter written by the King of Sweden to the Republick of Poland, adviſing them to make Prince James Sobieski King, is as follows,

We Charles, *King*, &c.

'BE it known to all whom it may concern, that whereas we are inform'd ſeveral Perſons of the Warlike Poliſh Nation are ſincerely diſpos'd to put an end to the Inteſtine Troubles their Country labours under; and that they are of opinion, the ſpeedieſt and moſt effectual Means, is to chooſe the Illuſtrious Prince James Louis Sobieski for their Head, that through his Conduct their Calamities may ceaſe; And ſeeing we think our ſelves concern'd in Intereſt, to promote the Eſtabliſhment of the Peace of the Polick Republick, We have thought fit to declare by theſe Preſents, and accordingly do declare and promiſe upon our Royal Word, That if that Prince ſhall be advanc'd to the Throne, we will aſſiſt him timely with all our Power, and will with our whole Force purſue the contrary Party who ſhall offer to oppoſe him; till by overcoming their Obſtinacy, we have quieted theſe Troubles, and put the Republick of Poland with their new Head out of Danger. And to the end our ſincere Intention, which we have irrevocably determin'd to execute, may be the more certainly known, we have order'd our Seal to be affix'd to theſe Preſents, ſign'd with our Hand.

Given at Heilsberg *in* Pruſſia, Dec. 23. 1703. CHARLES. and underneath *Charles Piper.*

From the Amſterdam Gazette, dated Feb. 29.

Warſaw, Feb. 14. The Congreſs of the Confederates, have at length diſcover'd part of their Deſigns; for, to day they unanimouſly reſolv'd, that the King having violated the Laws, Rights, and Liberties of the Nation, the People were abſolv'd from the Obedience they had Sworn to him. Purſuant to which Reſolution, they deſir'd the Cardinal Primate to exerciſe his Authority in ſuch an Exigent, by declaring, *That the King has forfeited the Crown, and that the Throne is Vacant*; To which his Eminency conſented, and after he had made a Speech to them on that occaſion the Aſſembly adjourn'd to the 16th. Tomorrow the Proceedings of this day will be put into Writing in Form, and Univerſalia will be diſpatch'd to all the Palatinats to inform them of it, in order to know who are Friends and who are Enemies; for, we are told another Confederacy is ſet on foot, *To defend the King's Perſon and the Roman Catholick Religion.* His Majeſty is gone from Cracow, but 'tis not yet known whither.

Paris, Feb. 18. The King has made a Promotion of Officers, Meſſieurs de Murcée, de Bouligneux, d'Eſtain, de Biſſy, and de Langalerie, are made Lieutenant Generals; and Meſſieurs de Dreux, de Polignac, de Sezane, du Gaſt, and de Wartigni, Majors General. 'Tis ſaid ſome others will be promoted. All theſe General Officers are to ſerve in Italy, except Monſieur de Polignac who will be employ'd in Dauphiney. Monſieur de Chamarante is likewiſe made a Lieutenant General, and is to ſerve in Bavaria. A Report was ſpread, that the Marſhal de Villars had receiv'd Letters from Germany, acquainting him with the taking of Lintz by the Bavarians, but that Report is ſpoil'd on the Arrival of a Courier from the Elector of Bavaria, ſince whoſe coming 'tis given out, that we may ſhortly expect an important piece of News from Swabia. Yeſterday part of the Marſhal de Tallard's Baggage was ſent away from hence for Strasburg, and he himſelf will ſet out the 24th, 'tis believ'd the deſign of his going thither is to give proper Directions for the more eaſie and ſucceſsful March of the 15000 Recruits deſir'd by the Elector of Bavaria. All the Troops on the Upper Rhine are order'd to hold themſelves in a Readineſs to march when he arrives. 'Tis poſitively affirm'd at preſent, that the Grand Prior will command on the Secchia the next Campaign: Becauſe the Imperialiſts in thoſe Quarters receive Reinforcements daily, and there is great cauſe to apprehend that a neighbouring State will declare on their ſide. The King has given new Orders for fitting out a conſiderable Number of Men of War. The Troops and Recruits that are to be ſent to the Duke of Vendome (who 'tis ſaid will have 2 ſtrong Bodies of Troops and act offenſively in Piemont) are to be imbarqued at Thoulon the 20th inſtant. The Marſhals de Villeroy and Boufflers continue at Court, and are daily in Conference with the King. The Review of the Guards du Corps and other Troops of the King's Houſehold, is fix'd to be the 10th, and their Departure the 16th of next Month. They write from Burgos in Spain, that about 5000 Men of our Troops arriv'd the 3d inſtant in the Neighbourhood of that Place, where they were to halt 3 days to refreſh themſelves, and then to proceed towards Alcantara. They write likewiſe from Pampelona, that on the 7th of this Month 3 Battallions and 3 Squadrons paſs'd by there, having with them 25 Pieces of Cannon. We hope all the Troops that are to march into Spain, will arrive on the Frontiers of Eſtramadura by the end of next Month. There has been ſent from Bourdeaux to Bayonne for the Service of the Troops furniſh'd to Spain, a conſiderable Quantity of Artillery and Ammunitions, which are wanted in that Country, as well as Gunners and Fireworkers. 'Tis ſaid the Bankers of this City have remitted to Seville, by the King's Order, a conſiderable Sum, for maintaining the Troops of which we have been ſpeaking. Letters from Madrid of the 1ſt inſtant tell us, that the Preparations for the King's Journey to his Army are continued, but that the Queen will not go to Seville as has been reported. They flatter themſelves at Court, that the chief Cities of the Kingdom will be at the Charge of the King's Journey, following the Example of Toledo, which has offer'd 1000 Piſtoles. Theſe Letters add, that the Militia of Galicia will be employ'd in guarding the Coaſts, according to the Requeſt of that Province; and that the Marqueſs of Villa Franca had caus'd a Franciſcan Friar to be ſeiz'd for a Spy, who 'tis ſaid has confeſs'd his Intrigues, and diſcover'd 3 Spaniſh Officers who were marching with their Companies towards Eſtramadura in Portugal. The King of Spain has made the Prince of Holſtein a Grandee of the firſt Rank, in recompence of the Services done by his Father in the Netherlands, where he ſerv'd in Quality of General of the Horſe.

Paris,

Paris, Feb. 21. 'Tis reported for certain, that the Marshal de Villeroy will set out to night for Flanders. A List of the new promoted General Officers is made publick, which shews the Number to be 8 Lieutenant Generals, and 12 Majors General: But the Generals that are to command the several Armies in Chief, are not yet declar'd.

Lindau, Feb. 16. The Council of War held at Bregentz, to examine into the Affair of the Surrender of Brisac, has pass'd Sentence of Death on the Count d'Arco, pursuant to which he will be executed the 18th: One Third of his Estate is adjudg'd to the Emperor, another to the Council of War, and the rest to his Children. General Marsigli will be degraded by having his Sword broken over him, and be declar'd for ever incapable of all Military Employments.

From the Harlem Courant, dated March 1.

Bregentz, Feb. 19. Yesterday the Count d'Arco was Beheaded, the Count de Marsigli had his Sword broken and was declar'd Infamous, the Collonels Epp and Thanner, the Lieutenant Collonels Toldo and Hauben, 4 Majors, 8 Captains, and as many Lieutenants and Ensigns, were cashier'd, and fined the following Sums, viz. the Count de Marsigli 4000 Gulders, the 2 Collonels 3000, the 4 Majors 1200, and the 8 Captains 800 Rixdollars: They were all oblig'd likewise to take a solemn Oath never to bear Arms against the Emperor in any Station whatever.

Dartmouth, Feb. 18. On Wednesday Morning the Transport of Looe arriv'd from St. Malloes with 200 Prisoners, she stop'd at Guernsey and left there another hundred belonging to that Island, and reports, that she left behind in the French Prisons 700 Men.

Cowes, Feb. 19. I am told the Signal of Sailing was given, for the Transports, &c. that came last to Spithead from Holland to proceed on their Voyage to Lisbon.

AT the Theatre Royal in *Drury-Lane*, this present *Tuesday* being the 22d of *February*, will be presented *The Subscription Musick*. Wherein Mrs. *Tofts* Sings several Songs in Italian and English. With a new Entertainment of Vocal and Instrumental Musick, (after the manner of an Opera) never perform'd before, call'd, *Brittain's Happiness*, the vocal part being compos'd by Mr. *Weldon*, and the Instrumental by Mr. *Dienport*. And proper Dances by Monsieur *l'Abbe*, Monsieur *du Ruel*, Monsieur *Cherrier*, Mrs. *Elford*, Mrs. *Campion*, Mrs. *Mayers*, and the *Devonshire* Girl.

WHereas the Play of *Mary Queen of Scotland* (till now wholly incorrect, and imperfect, and long since Printed, tho' not suffer'd to be Acted) hath been revis'd and amended, with most material and considerable Alterations both in Title and Substance, and will be suddenly acted, by Her Majesty's Permission, at the Theatre Royal in *Drury-lane*. All People are desired to take notice, that (to prevent any mistake) it will soon after the Acting thereof, be printed according to the new Copy, and as it is now Licens'd.

AT the New Theatre in *Little-Lincolns-Inn-Fields*, this present *Tuesday* being the 22d of *February*, will be presented a Comedy call'd, *A Duke, and No Duke*. With several Entertainments of Singing and Dancing. And on *Thursday* next will be acted a new Play never acted before call'd, *Liberty Asserted*.

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